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In re application of: **Feng Qian**

Office Action Confirmation No.: **3481**

Serial No.: **09/905,529**

Group Art Unit: **2663**

Filed: **July 13, 2001**

Examiner: **Juntima, Nittaya**

For: **Frame Matching Method and Apparatus for Use in a Communication System**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.8, I, Barbara S. Kelly, hereby certify that this correspondence and all its attachments are being deposited on January 23, 2006, with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment (**in 13 pages**) to an Office Action issued September 22, 2005, with regard to the above-identified application.

- (XX) Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(1), 1 page in duplicate.
- (XX) Replacement Drawing Sheets 1-2 for Figures 1 and 2, 2 pages.
- (XX) Annotated Original Drawing Sheets 1-2 for Figures 1 and 2, 2 pages.
- (XX) Photocopy of return receipt postcard for an Information Disclosure Statement Filed on 12/14/01, together with a photocopy of the signed Information Disclosure Statement filed 12/14/01, and photocopies of two cited non-patent references.

Fee calculation for excess claims is set forth below, followed by a list of further enclosures.

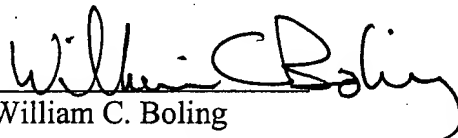
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	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid for	No. Extra	Rate	Fee	OR	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	24-	20 (at least 20)	4	x \$ 25=	\$ N/A	<u>OR</u>	x \$50=	\$ 200.00
Indep. Claims	5-	4 (at least 3)	1	x \$100=	\$ N/A	<u>OR</u>	x \$200=	\$ 200.00
First Presentation Multiple Dependent Claims N/A				\$180=	\$ N/A	<u>OR</u>	\$360=	\$ N/A
Total fee for added claims:					\$ 350			\$ 400.00

(XX) USPTO Credit Card Payment Form, authorizing \$520 for excess claim fees (\$400) and one month extension (\$120), 1 page.

(XX) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 including fees for presentation of extra claims, and any additional patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 or under 37 CFR 1.20(d).

(XX) Please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No 50-0490.

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